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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the official Filing Receipt be amended to add the Japanese Priority Applications as follows:

1. --Japan 11-096093 04/02/99--; and
2. --Japan 11-179329 06/25/99--.

A copy of the Declaration and Power of Attorney form is enclosed.

The Office is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required in connection with this request to our Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

Respectfully submitted,

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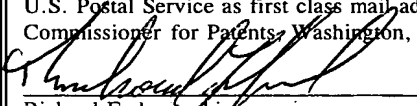
**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF
APPLICATION-FILING DATE GRANTED
AND TRANSMISSION OF ASSIGNMENT FOR RECORDATION**

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application-Filing Date Granted dated June 1, 2000, applicant hereby transmits (i) copy of the PTO Notice, (ii) Declaration and Power of Attorney, and (iii) check for \$130 surcharge for late filing of the Declaration.

Applicant also transmits for recordation (iv) an Assignment of this invention to Ricoh Company, Ltd., (v) Recordation Form Cover Sheet (Form PTO-1595), and (vi) check for the \$40 recordation fee.

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paper should be considered to be such a petition, and the Commissioner is authorized to charge the requisite fees to our Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

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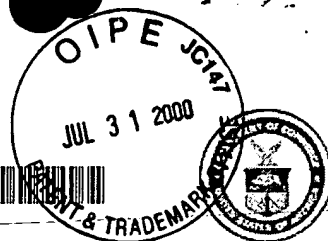


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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.**

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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